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CABLE NEWS.

Rumors of a Parliamentary Dissolution Dying Out—Ascot Races —Society Gossip.

Evacuation of Korea Subject of Diplomatic Negotiations—The Turkish Grand Vizier Replaced.

LONDON, June 8.—Owing to the Whitsuntide holidays those who could do so flitted to the country or flew to the seaside, and the town is deserted by those who furnish food for the gossip of millions. But they are now flocking back to London, doubtless refreshed by their trips, and are again plunging into the swirl of metropolitan life.

The rumors so persistently circulated recently as to the probability of an early dissolution of parliament, are gradually dying out, as the moving spirits, both Conservative and Liberal, admit that it is to their interest to avoid a dissolution during the season.

It is announced that Dr. Pim, the English lawn tennis champion who has just for the third time captured the Irish championship and thereby won outright the Fitzwilliam cup, has decided to retire from the tennis field owing to his growing practice as a medical man. It is considered likely, however, that he will once more defend the championship at Wimbledon in July.

It is expected that Viscount Gough, first secretary of the British embassy at Washington, who by the recent death of his father succeeded to the title and family estate at Lough Cutra castle, county Galway, and St. Helen's, county Dublin, will soon return to Ireland from Washington.

Mr. Arthur George Vansittart, secretary of the British legation of Munich, who has been gazetted British consul at Chicago in succession to Mr. J. Saddler, has been in the diplomatic service for 20 years, being transferred from the latter service to the consular service—a very rare departure but promotion in the British diplomatic service is slow and the consular post at Chicago is worth £1,200 yearly.

Mr. Marshall Field, jr, has taken Earl Russell's beautiful palace at Maidenhead. The Earl, whose troubles with his wife have brought him so much before the public in an unenviable light, has lately been delivering addresses at Newing.

The Ameer's son, Nazrulla Khan, is still the centre of attraction in the busy social world. The vicinity of the Dorchester house, where he and his suite are quartered, continues to be thronged with crowds of curiosity seekers to whom the unaccustomed spectacle affords much amusement. Nazrulia Khan is a difficult young man to handle. The fact that he, a comparatively insignificant prince as compared with his brother, Habibullah Khan, heir to the Afghan throne, should have been sent to the land of "the great Queen-Empress," as representative of his father, seems to have turned his head and is giving him an exaggerated idea of his own importance, and has made him imperious and overbearing all around him. During the voyage from India in the Clive he gave a good deal of trouble, and the officers were glad when he disembarked. On one occasion, a ship's officer was hustled by one of the Afghan's staff because the former in the course of his watch happened to cross the path of the young Prince who was walking on deck. On another occasion he went up to the officers and insisted on having some very rare fruit which belonged to a naval officer, and although informed it was private property did not desist. He also sent orders to the commander of the ship to increase the speed of the Clive, although by reason of orders and the prevailing haze it was impossible to do so. His suite, too, for the most part, were not popular on board. They were not too fond of soap and to see some of his body guard attired in splendid native uniforms with an old railway inspector's overcoat on or postman's coat over them, was a sight to remember.

But the little friction of the voyage was nothing to that encountered when the India office officials, who went out to Spithead to meet the ship. When they presented the Prince with the programme of his subsequent movements, for apparently no reason but obstinacy he refused to follow it, declined to be shown over the dockyard, and refused to attend the luncheon at Government house. He said he would not land at the hour arranged, and, in fact, made himself very disagreeable. The officials were at their wit's end, everything, troops, royal carriages, and processions, had been arranged and the details settled, and it was only after a long and serious talk that the young man finally consented to do what he was told. Everything thereafter went off well and the Afghan Prince is now the hero of the hour in London. So far the reception at Windsor has made the greatest impression on the Shahzad's mind. He was most cordially received by the Queen, occupied a seat at her side in presence of the chamber and won golden opinions by his behaviour and princely bearing.

Many aristocratic parties have already been made up for the racing at Ascot Heath (Royal Ascot), which will begin on Tuesday next and last until Friday inclusive. Britain's noblest and richest people will assemble and small fortunes will change hands daily in betting. Royalty will be out in full force, and no doubt Nazrulla Khan, the Afghan Prince, will attend. There is the usual row about tickets of admission to the royal enclosure. The Conservatives assert that Ascot suffers terribly in its former exclusiveness on account of the Liberals being in power, as master of the buckhounds. Lord Ribblesdale, who has charge of such matters, was obliged, it is claimed, to admit the wives and families of his Radical supporters.

Conditions on which tickets of admission to the grand stand or enclosure are obtained are very strict and contain the following:—"If the holder is in default in respect of stakes, forfeits or bets upon horse racing, or has been guilty of any fraudulent practice on the turf or matters connected with it, or shall display any lists or make use of any stool, clog, color, hatband, umbrella, bag or name, or any other device for the purpose of betting, or take money in advance for bets or make bets as to the first past the post, his tickets will be forfeited and he will be expelled from the stand and enclosure without having any claim to a return of the money paid for his ticket."

Great crowds af English and American people are leaving London to-day for Paris to witness the race for the Grand Prix de Paris of two hundred thousand francs for entire colts and fillies foaled in 1892, which takes place to-morrow over the grand course, about one mile and seven furlongs.

A heavy consignment of American and Canadian horses were sold here yesterday. Twenty-six Canadian horses averaged 30 guineas a piece, and 24 Canadian horses, which were landed from the steamer Carlisle City a few days ago, were sold at the same average price. Nineteen American horses, exported by W. H. Forester, of Iowa, brought an average of 28 guineas each.

Lord Leamington's wedding next week will be a very quiet affair owing to death in the family. Over three hundred presents have already been received. Lord Leamington was private secretary to Lord Salisbury while the latter was premier from 1885 to 1886.

Mrs. Frank Leslie, of New York, is in this city. The Marquis de Leuville intimates that he is once more engaged to be married to her.

Mrs. Parnell, widow of the Irish leader, Charles Stewart Parnell, is in broken health at the seaside. She has decided to destroy all of the late Mr. Parnell's letters. The Parnell estate is just being wound up, and the creditors will ultimately receive ten shillings on the pound. Mr. Parnell's debts amounted to $150,000.

At the Waterloo railway station to-day upon the departure of the special train for Southampton with passengers for the American line steamship Paris, there were present U. S. Ambassador Thomas F. Bayard and several prominent Americans who had gathered to bid farewell to Professor Andrew D. White, first president of Cornell University, who, when asked for an expression of opinion regarding the sentiment in Europe on bimetallism said: "I have just come from Italy where there is so little money that they did not pay much attention to the subject. In regard to the situation at home, I cannot see that they are nearing a settlement. It is a question which will take America a long time to decide. We have been through great many crisises and will safely weather this one."

The talk of conferring the honor of knighthood upon W. R. Grace, the cricketer, which began in jest is now urged in earnest.

A dispatch received at Rome from Constantinople says that the Grand Vizier, Gen. D. Jevad Pasha, has resigned and has been replaced by Said Pasha, the minister of foreign affairs.

The evacuation of Korea by the Japanese will form the subject of negotiations between the Russian and Japanese governments as soon as the question of the evacuation of the Liao Tung peninsula is definitely settled.

Advices received at Hongkong from Formosa indicate that chaos is rapidly becoming order. The natives of Formosa are submitting readily to the rule of the Japanese. The Japanese losses during the military movement in occupying the island amounted to only eight men.

The Armenian question, dullness in Paris, and the approach of the settlements in London continue to depress speculation. Americans were dealing on the adverse crop reports, and the rise in exchange. The Chilian loan was applied for many times over.

A dispatch from Cuba announces several additional conflicts between the insurgents and the government troops. A large band of rebels surrounded a mill at Tranquilidad. The building was stoutly defended by an officer and twenty-five men. After fierce fighting the garrison made a sortie and charged on the rebels, who were defeated by the government forces at the point of the bayonet. Four of the rebels were killed, while a number were wounded. Four Spanish soldiers were also killed while only five were wounded.

PAID THE PENALTY.

Three California Murderers Executed in the San Quentin Prison.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 8.—Three murderers were hanged at San Quentin yesterday. Five were to have been executed, but Governor Budd granted respites in the cases of Fremont Smith and Rice Moracco. The three men who suffered the death penalty were Patrick Collins, Emilio Garcia and Anthony Azoff. Collins stabbed his wife to death because she would no longer give her earnings to him to buy liquor. She was employed as janitress in a kindergarten. He followed her into the schoolroom and slashed her mercilessly 28 times with a knife. Emile Garcia was a Mexican. Last year near Coltan, San Bernardino county, he cut the throat of an old Frenchman for the purpose of robbery, it being supposed his victim had hidden about his cabin a sum of gold. Anthony Azoff shot and killed Len Harris, a Southern Pacific detective. Azoff was a highwayman. He had robbed the railroad station and the detective had traced him to Boulder Creek, where Harris attempted to place him under arrest. Azoff drew a revolver and shot him.

CANADIAN STEAMER LIBELLED.

The "Jack" Captured in Lake St. Clair by a U. S. Marshal—Damages $164,000.

PORT HURON, Mich., June 8.—The Canadian steamer Jack, which sank the steel steamer Norman on Lake Huron last week, got away from Alpena just one hour ahead of a libel for $164,000 in a suit instituted by the owners of the Norman, who alleged that the loss of the steamer and three of her crew was due to faulty navigation on the part of the Canadian boat. She was finally captured in Lake St. Clair. The Jack passed down at eight o'clock this morning, keeping on the Canadian side. U.S. Marshal Petit with the tug Thompson followed the steamer soon after. The marshal was unable to get the Jack into American waters until well down the St. Clair river, when the marshal seized her and is now on the way with her to Detroit. It had been intended that the Jack would go into dock here for repairs, but the owners decided to run her through to Kingston.

Camping parties can be fitted out at Weller Bros., with everything necessary for camping. x

Fortune gives too much to many, but to none enough.—Martial.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Proposed Reductions in the Permanent Militia Corps—Hudson Bay Railway Project Put Over.

Changes in the Bisley Team—Settlement in Nipissing District—The Elgin Murders.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, June 8.—For the purpose of reducing the permanent militia corps it is proposed to lop off thirty men from each company.

It is generally reported that the Hudson's Bay project will be put over to next year.

An officer of the Interior Department visited the Paradise colony in the Nipissing district and found sixty-five families there, all thriving.

Another change took place in the Bisley team to-day. Ellis, of the Ottawa Guards, resigning, Meadows, of the Queen's Own, takes his place.

The case of Hendershott and Welter, the Elgin county murderers, was not considered by the cabinet to day.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Details of Manitoba Crops

WINNIPEG, June 8.—The Manitoba crop bulletin issued to-day estimates the total acreage for 1895 as follows: Wheat, 1,140,276 acres; oats, 482,658; barley, 153,839; flax, 72,668; rye, 2,835; peas, 970; buckwheat, 125; corn, 1,004; potatoes, 16,716; roots, 6,683. Total, 1,887,776 acres. The increase over 1894 is 295,380 acres. The increase in wheat acreage is 130,090 acres. The prospects for good yield were never brighter.

Protection Against Suits for Libel.

TORONTO, June 8.—A meeting of the executive of the Canadian Press Association was held here yesterday, at which it was decided to form a libel protective association and employ a permanent solicitor to look after the interests of its members.

A Halifax Rumor.

HALIFAX, June 8.—It is rumored that Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper will succeed to the Lieutenant-Governorship of Nova Scotia. Daly's time expires next month.

Strange Disappearance.

WINNIPEG, June 8.—Considerable anxiety is expressed over the strange disappearance of Mr. Price, the C.P.R. librarian. He has been away now for nearly a week, and although it was thought he went to visit his farm at Reaburn it has been learned since that he never went to that point, and no trace of him has been discovered. His affairs are all in good shape.

Injunction Refused.

TORONTO, June 8.—Jacob Zelinski was yesterday refused an injunction to restrain the College of Physicians and Surgeons from interfering with him were he to re-commence practice as an electric physician. Zelinski is suing the college for $95,000 damages for alleged wrongful prevention from practicing.

Found Dead in Her House.

EDMONTON, June 8.—Mrs. Joseph Byers was found dead in her house this morning.

Poisoned by Carbolic Acid.

BARRIE, June 8.—Douglas, the six year old son of J. McL. Stevenson, died from the effects of carbolic acid given to him by his sister in mistake for medicine.

TO RESCUE PEARY.

Expedition Preparing to Discover and Bring Back the Missing Arctic Explorer.

ST. JOHNS, Nfld., June 8.—The whaleboat Kite has been chartered to proceed to Greenland for the purpose of rescuing Lieut. Peary, the Arctic explorer. Peary wintered in Greenland with two companions, Hugh Lee, of Herodis, and Matthew Hanson, his colored servant. The balance of Peary's company returned here last September. He remained for the purpose of attempting to reach the far Northern latitudes over the icy crusts of Greenland. The Kite has been engaged for a three months' expedition. The Kite starts about the middle of next month.

HAWAII AT WASHINGTON.

William R. Castle Appointed to Succeed Minister Thurston.

HONOLULU, June 1 (via San Francisco, June 8)—William R. Castle has been appointed Hawaiian minister at Washington, vice L. A. Thurston.

Heir Wanted and Found.

BUFFALO, June 7.—Alphonse Hetu, of this city, whose lost son Halpin has by the death of an aunt at Three Rivers, Que., fallen heir to property worth $25,000, thinks he has found his son. This morning he received a newspaper from Edmonton, Alberta, in which was a paragraph to the effect that a horse had been stolen from H. Hetu's stables. He is overjoyed at the prospect of finding his son.

Burns by alkalies, such as lime, caustic, potash, soda, ammonia, etc., are stopped in their progress by applying vinegar, lemon juice or other diluted acid; they must then be treated like other burns.

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

One hundred Government street is now the site of the prescription drug store of C. H. Bowes, formerly of Johnson street. "Purity" and "accuracy" are two of his watchwords. x

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Fatal Explosion in a Miner's Cabin at Wellington—Arrested for Uttering Counterfeit.

Light and Tramway Improvements at Vancouver—Co Operative Store at Terminal City.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, June 8.—The trades and labor council have decided to in some way take part in the Dominion day festivities. They are asking for a donation for their labo, day celebration.

A co-operative store started by the trades and labor council will be an assurred fact before long. Considerable stock has been subscribed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Riblett and Mr. J. Moldsted of Mount Vernon, Wash., have come by cycle from that city. They will take in the sights here and proceed to Victoria.

In a very short time the great net work of rails of the Consolidated light and tramway company will be complete. On Robson street work is being pushed and on Hastings street the city service will be connected with the inter-urban in two or three days, so that very soon one can get on a tram car in Westminster and without alighting until his destination is reached be put down at English Bay, the Park, Fairview or Mt. Pleasant. Granville and Hastings from Carroll to Cambie streets have been double tracked and concreted and will be asphalted at once.

The Seamen's Institute and the Sailors' Rest have amalgamated for the purpose of making a more powerful institution.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, June 8.—Plans for the new drill hall have been forwarded from Ottawa.

Capt. Pittendrigh, S.M., is confined to his bed from the effects of a severe fall.

Chung Lung, who stood his trial for uttering counterfeit coin and escaped from jail on a technicality, has been arrested on another count and committed for trial.

A brass tablet in memory of the late Bishop Sillitoe has been placed in Holy Trinity cathedral.

The Boultier cannery on Front street began operations to-day.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, June 8.—A keg of powder habitually kept under his bed and a pipe dropped from the mouth of a sleeping man is the theory, and the fact is that Jesse Smith, an old time miner, has journeyed over the divide to the great beyond. The affair took place at Wellington this morning. Smith left the Abbottsford hotel at about midnight sober, and about two o'clock A. McMurtrie was awakened by the glare of fire at Smith's cabin. He had just reached it when a terrific explosion took place. Later Smith's charred body was taken from the cabin. Death did not take place at once as his cries could be heard in the flaming building, but before aid could reach him the fire had finished the work of the powder.

The lecture by Conductor Snider in the Wallace street Methodist church last evening was well attended.

The pay roll of the N. V. C. Co. to-day amounted to close on $60,000.

OFFICIAL COMMENDATION.

The Admiral Compliments the Seamen and Land Forces for Their Part in the Birthday Celebration.

The satisfaction of the military authorities with the performances of those who took part in the review and shamfight at Victoria in celebration of Her Majesty's birthday is officially expressed in General Orders, published for the information of all concerned.

Rear Admiral H. F. Stephenson, the Commander-in-Chief, thus wrote to Lieut.-Col. A. L S. Burrowes, R.M A., Brigadier:

"The Commander-in-Chief has much satisfaction in conveying to Lieut.-Col. Burrowes his appreciation of the manner in which the field day in honor of H. M. birthday was carried out on Beacon Hill.

"The appearance of the seamen of the Fleet under Lieut. Stileman, of H. M. S. Hyacinth, was excellent. The attack was steady and well delivered, and showed the men were well under command; the march past was very creditable.

"The Royal Marine detachments under Lieut.-Col Rawstorne were not to be surpassed in appearance or steadiness during the day.

"The B. C. B. G. A. under Lieut.-Col. Peters showed a marked soldierly bearing and efficiency; considering these gentlemen have rarely the opportunity or time to take part in a brigade field day, both the drill and march past were highly creditable."

Major Townley, commanding the Garrison Artillery, in transmitting the Admiral's memo. wrote:

"The officer commanding B.C.B.G.A. wishes to thank the officers, non-commissioned officers and men of headquarter companies for the very kind reception given to their comrades from Vancouver upon the occasion of the late field day at Beacon Hill.

"A field day such as the one in which the battalion has just participated cannot fail to be of great value to militia men of all ranks, and should prove to be not only a source of instruction to all interested but also the means of stimulating a large attendance at and keener interest in the ordinary company and battalion parades.

"It must be a matter of gratification to all that the bearing and efficiency of the B. C. B. G. A. called for such a complimentary notice as is just published from the Commander in Chief.

"The officer commanding also wishes to thank the citizens of Victoria for the many courtesies received at their hands on the part of the visiting Vancouver company, and the generous spirit in which the necessary expenses were met."

TRADE REVIEWED.

Bradstreet's Weekly Statement of Business Shows Strength and Confidence—Failures and Bank Clearings.

NEW YORK, June 8.—Bradstreet's review says: "The speculative spirit which seemed to dominate both commercial and financial circles until within a week or ten days past is less conspicuous in all lines. The demand for staple goods in a number of instances is smaller, particularly in dry goods, the demand for which from first and second hands has declined. While business may therefore be characterized as quieter, the tone of the staple markets continues stronger, and confidence in a good demand when the fall season opens next month remains unabated. The feature of the week, as heretofore, is the continued long list of advances in prices, notably those for iron and steel, and the upward movement of bank clearings. Higher prices are recorded for some cotton goods, sides, leather, paper, pig iron, steel, galvanized iron, canned goods, hogs, wheat, corn, oats, and some grades of wheat flour. The prices for live cattle, wool, coal and lumber are reported unchanged and firm, while silver, cotton, petroleum and lard alone are noteworthy as showing lower prices than last week. Bank clearings for the Dominion were: Montreal, $13,199,823, increase 15 9; Toronto, $6,519,675, increase 16 8; Halifax, $121,375, increase, 6 1; Hamilton, $668,834, decrease, 8.1; Winnipeg, $1,035,513, increase, 27.1—total, $22,634,220, increase, 15 5 per cent. There is no change in the trade conditions at Montreal, where the crop prospect is favorable. Trade has been fair at Toronto, with better collections and a favorable outlook. Nova Scotia crop prospects are excellent, and the same is true of New Brunswick. There were 27 business failures reported from the Dominion of Canada this week, against 27 last week, 37 a year ago and 46 two years ago.

Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer is, unquestionably, the best preservative of the hair. It is also curative of dandruff, tetter, and all scalp affections.

SISTER SOCIETIES.

Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. Meets on Wednesday—Prepared for the "Glorious Twelfth."

Nominations and Elections to Be Held in Various City Lodges.

The Grand Lodge I.O.O.F. convenes in this city on Wednesday, and the local lodges have made extensive preparations to entertain the visitors. On Tuesday evening the ladies of Colfax Degree Sisters of Rebekah give a social in honor of the delegates. On Wednesday morning the Grand Encampment, Grand Patriarch William McColl of Westminster presiding, assembles at 8 o'clock, and will elect officers. At 10 o'clock the Grand Lodge begins its labors, Grand Master Thomas Gray of Vancouver presiding. At 9 o'clock in the evening the election of Grand Lodge officers takes place. On Thursday there will be a session of the Grand Lodge in the morning, and in the afternoon the visitors will be taken on an excursion up the Gorge. The business of the Grand Lodge will close on Friday, and a banquet at the Driard will be tendered the visitors in the evening.

Two thousand A.P.A. members from the Sound cities will swell the crowd of visitors at the L O L. celebration to be held here on the Twelfth of July. Mr. Dalton McCarthy has consented to be present and deliver an address. Excursions will be run from Vancouver, Westminster, Nanaimo and Sound cities. There will be sports at Caledonia park during the day.

Business of importance will be discussed at the meeting of Loyal Occidental lodge, I.O.O F., M.U., on Wednesday evening.

A large number of members of the Grand Lodge of the State of Washington, who came over on the excursion Friday evening, visited Peerless lodge I.O O F. for a short time. Noble Grand W. J. Hanna welcomed the visitors, for whom Grand Warden Mount, of Washington, replied.

The officers elected by Victoria lodge, Daughters of St. George, for the next term are: W.P.P., Sister M. A. Stephenson; W.P., Sister L. Bradbury; W.V.P., Sister Marshall; W.S., Sister M. A. Penketh; W.F.C., Sister J. Penketh; W.S C., Sister Lang; W.C., Sister Adams. Installation takes place Monday at 7 p.m. sharp, after which a reception and dance will be given in the Sir William Wallace hall.

Triumph lodge No. 16, I.O.G.T., gave a very successful concert in the Masonic hall, Esquimalt, Thursday evening.

At the last meeting of Fernwood lodge, C.O O F., nominations were received for officers for the ensuing term. Election and installation takes place at the quarterly meeting. It is proposed to organize a glee club in connection with the lodge.

Loyal Dauntless lodge, C.O.O F., will hold its regular meeting on Tuesday evening, when the half-yearly nomination of officers will take place.

SHIPS AND SHIPPING.

The "Mexico" Delayed by Head Winds—Departure of the "Victoria" for China and Japan.

The Northern Pacific steamship Victoria, Captain Panton, was here between 12 and 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, outward bound. She took from Victoria, besides some freight, 20 Chinese passengers. Her cargo from the Sound was large. Purser Galt has resigned his position, and his place is taken by Mr. Woods of Tacoma.

The steamer Mexico, which arrived from San Francisco yesterday morning at 4, was a full day late, having been delayed by strong head winds. The Mexico is not the regular boat of the line, but is simply making a trip or two for the Umatilla, which has been laid up in San Francisco for an overhauling. There arrived on the steamer for Victoria 67½ tons of freight, besides 17 cabin and 12 steerage passengers.

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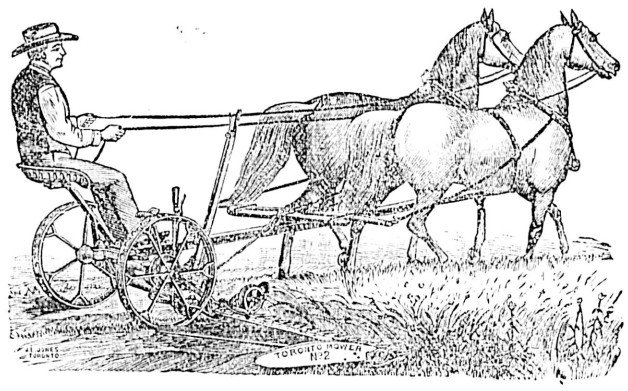

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Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the year 1895.

SPRING ASSIZES.

Nanaimo	Tuesday	7th May.
New Westminster	Tuesday	14th May.
Vancouver	Tuesday	21st May.
Clinton	Monday	27th May.
Victoria	Tuesday	28th May.
Kamloops	Monday	3rd June.
Vernon	Monday	10th June.
*Donald	Friday	14th June.
*Nelson	Wednesday	19th June.

*Special Assize. ap19

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893," as Amended by the "Fire Insurance Policy Amendment Act, 1895."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to Secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance" from the 1st day of April, 1895, to the 1st day of July, 1895.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
28th February, 1895. mr2-td

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For further particulars apply to "Rancher," care of The Colonist. no22-tf

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of consumers of water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to Sections 12, 20 and 23 of The Water Works Regulation By-law 1894, which provides that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of water of the said water works shall use such water for irrigating except on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

IN THE NORTH WARD ON MONDAYS AND THURSDAYS.
IN THE CENTRAL WARD ON TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.
IN THE SOUTH WARD ON WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS.

If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore mentioned the water will be turned off, and there shall be charged in addition to ordinary rates the sum of fifty cents for each infraction.

The above penalties will be strictly enforce

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.

Water Commissioner's Office,
14th May, 1895. my15

VICTORIA WATER WORKS.

The attention of the public generally, and PLUMBERS IN PARTICULAR is called to Section 16 of the "Corporation of Victoria Water Works Act, 1873," which reads as follows: "If any person or persons shall lay or cause to be laid any pipe or main to communicate with any pipe or main of the said water works, or in any way obtain or use any water thereof without the consent of the Commissioner, he or they shall forfeit or pay to the said Commissioner, for water works purposes, the sum of FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS, and also a further sum of five dollars for each day such pipe or main shall so remain, which said sum, together with the costs of suit in that behalf, may be recovered by civil action in any court of law in the Province of British Columbia having civil jurisdiction to that amount.

The provisions of the above Section will for the future be strictly carried out.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.

City Hall, 11th March, 1895. mr12

NOTICE.

Applications, accompanied by references, will be received at the office of the undersigned until Monday, the 10th June, proximo, at 10 a.m., for the position of Caretaker or Manager of the Home for the Aged and Infirm.

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Mr. David Christie Murray, the successful English litterateur and author of a dozen or more social studies in the form of interesting novels that have greatly pleased the reading and thinking world, is now a resident of quiet Esquimalt. He has been cosily quartered there for several days past, and will probably remain another fortnight, sketching some of the choice scenery in the neighborhood and working on another new novel. Yesterday he found time to chat with a COLONIST reporter in regard to his impressions of Victoria. This is what he said:

"I suppose that I am a bit of a Chauvinist, and carry patriotic affections to excess. Anyway there is no term of praise which carries further or means more with me than 'English.' In the course of years of wandering, far and wide, I have come across two English places at distances of thousands of miles from 'home.' One of them is Christchurch, in New Zealand, and the other is your pretty little city of Victoria. Christchurch looks almost as if it might have been lifted bodily out of Warwickshire, and its delightful miniature Avon, bordered with weeping willows, helps out the illusion by its name. Victoria is the most English thing I have seen since I left London nine months ago. Its beautiful, orderly gardens are English to look at. Its houses are English to look at. Its people are English, so far as I have met them. Away on the Eastern side of Canada, what with the French element and the American element, one is conscious of a certain foreign feel, but the odd thing is to notice that in crossing the continent the further away from home you get the more homelike the cities and the people grow. The old-fashioned disagreeable nasal accent of the United States is dying fast, but a trace of it survives even amongst cultured people. It tinges the speech of Toronto. It is perceptible at Montreal. At Winnipeg it has vanished utterly, and from Winnipeg westward you find no faintest tone of it.

DAVID CHRISTIE MURRAY.

"And what a journey! I am so fresh from it, and latest impressions are always so much the strongest, that I am half afraid to express my momentary belief about it. When, in the course of a year or two, I have got it into perspective, I may be able to modify a little, but just now the Swiss Alps and the mountains of the Austrian Tyrol, the sombre splendors of the Blue Mountains in New South Wales, the glorious range of the Glenorchies in New Zealand, all seem dim and relatively small. I am pretty sure that this feeling is exaggerated and that it will rectify itself in time, but I am quitesure of one thing, and that is that whether individual splendors are, or are not, to be rivalled or surpassed elsewhere, I have made no journey in my life which has been so rich in beauty for so vast a distance. From Canmore, westward, for three and thirty hours there is no break in the continuity of landscape magnificence. So long as I live I shall never forget Mount Hermit, leaping up there to a height of a mile and a quarter above the level of the rail, and standing poised against the sky as if it were a feat to do it for a second; or the Fraser gorge, with that mad river hurrying through it; or the lake on this side of Sicamous—we saw it after sunset, with just one bright star in a sky of deep violet, and a trail of starry brightness in the shadows of the lake; such a bit of peace and quiet after the clamorous glories of the mountains that it made the heart ache with sweetness.

"I want to say a word about the C.P.R. We two, Stanley and I, are pretty old travellers. We have seen a good deal of the world together, and much more apart from each other. We were counting the other day that in the last five years we have covered in company something between forty and fifty thousand miles of land and water. We have been comparing notes, and we find we have arrived at the same conclusion. For comfort in accommodation, civility in service, and excellence in cuisine, the Canadian Pacific line is the best in our experience. If the wealthier class of British tourists knew the line as it deserves to be known Victoria would be one of the favorite resorts of the Eastern world. It will of course be known in time.

"And then—why then, I shall not want to come back to little Esquimalt any more. It is inevitable, but I don't want to see its quiet bay overtopped by a fashionable hotel and to hear nigger minstrels and Punch and Judy invade its quiet.

"I know no city which is surrounded by such a belt of beauty as Victoria. I did myself the honor the other day to call at Government House, and Lieut.-Governor Dewdney showed me the view from his garden. I learned that he was away next day with a sketching party, and I thought it no wonder that living in the constant sight of such a dream of beauty he should be an enthusiastic landscape artist. You didn't know that? It can hardly be a breach of confidence to name the fact, and His Honor made no secret of it. I saw two finished pictures from his brush upon the walls and a pair of rapid impressions of landscape recently done—swift and simple, but very true in color. My own purpose down here is to sketch, and since I reached Esquimalt I have been hard at it. I hope to get a book of travel out of this prolonged journey of mine and to illustrate it by my own drawings. If I had my way I would settle down and paint here for a year, but 'no man tether time or tide.'

"We have had great times since we came here. Jacky Tar has been on full leave, and Esquimalt has been full of him. We have heard him at night time on the banjo and the piano, and the tambourine, and in the day time we have seen him on the bicycle, on the electric car and on horseback; always clean, tidy, civil, jolly and good humored, though, in a lonely case or two perhaps not altogether certain of the number of his mess. Genially hazy—nothing more. For my own part I don't grudge Jacky that form of enjoyment since he fancies it.

"All this isn't Victoria? Well I'm afraid I am a little unobservant in towns and cities, but I see your air of solidity and neatness—your busy streets, handsome hotels, well furnished shops, wharves and warehouses, and all the rest, and I fall back on my first encomium—English.

"Am I going to lecture here? Well, as a matter of fact, I never lectured anywhere. Dr. Johnson defines the verb 'to lecture' as 'to instruct dogmatically.' I won't let anybody instruct me dogmatically if I can help it, and what I won't endure in my own person, I won't inflict on anybody else. I may give a talk in public before I go away, and Stanley tells me there have been a good many enquiries We shall see."

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Church Parade of the B. C. B. G. A. —Special Flower Services To-Day.

Two of the newly appointed Methodist clergymen will preach their first sermons today. At the Centennial church, Rev. J F. Betts will deliver his inaugural sermon in the evening, Conductor Snider taking the morning service. Rev. Mr. Betts is one of the best known Methodist clergymen in the province and comes here from Kamloops where he has been for two years. Among other official positions he has filled has been the presidency of the British Columbia conference, and for two years he was chairman of the Kamloops district. and also representative of this conference to the general mission board in the East. Mrs. Betts is president of the Woman's Missionary Society of the province.

At the Victoria West church Rev. J. P. Hicks will preach both morning and evening. Mr. Hicks is one of the promising young preachers of the church, having just finished a two years' pastorate at New Westminster; he will also fill the pulpit of the Esquimalt church.

At the Metropolitan church Rev. Mr. Cleaver will preach at 11 and Conductor Snider in the evening. There will be special music by the choir.

The pulpit of the Reformed Episcopal church will be occupied at both services by Bishop Cridge. The subject in the morning will be "Preaching to the spirits in prison." The John Lutherian church service will be held in the schoolroom at 11 a.m.

In the Presbyterian churches the usual Sunday services will be held, Rev. W. Leslie Clay preaching at St. Andrew's, morning and evening; Rev. Dr. Campbell at the First church and Rev. D. MacRae at St. Paul's, Victoria West.

This being Trinity Sunday the general order of service in the Church of England will be: Early communion, 8 a.m.; matins and sermon, 11; children's service at 3 p.m.; and evening at 7 p.m. The regular clergymen will officiate. At St. Barnabas church there will be a special children's flower service in the afternoon at 3 o'clock. The B. C B G A. headquarter companies meet at the drill hall this morning at 10:15 and proceed to Christ Church cathedral where special service will be conducted by Rev. Canon Beanlands. At St. James' church there will be matins, litany and sermon at 11 a.m., and evensong and sermon by Rev. Canon Paddon at 7 p m The Bible class will meet in the hall at 5 o'clock on Monday afternoon.

At the Calvary Baptist church Rev. P. H. McEwen will preach at 11 a m., and in the evening the pastor, Rev. Ralph W. Trotter will speak, taking as his subject, "The Great Lawsuit."

The Theosophical Society will meet at their rooms, 28 Broad street, at 8:15, when the subject under consideration, "Man," will be taken up

Forest Fires in Indiana.

BRAZIL, Ind., June 7.—Serious forest fires are raging in the northern part of this county and the southern part of Parke, caused by railroad men burning old ties along the track. It is said that about 300 acres of timber have been consumed by the flames, while some residence property is threatened. A large number of men have been constantly at work fighting the fire. The shafts at the coal mines of the Superior Coal Co., the Isaac McIntosh Coal Co., the Swamp Angels mine and several others are threatened.

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THE SCANDINAVIAN DIFFICULTY

The situation in Norway and Sweden is interesting. The two countries are confederated in a loose kind of way but they seem never to have got on very well together. Norway has been discontented and has been wanting powers and privileges to which as the Swedes contend she has under the constitution no right.

Norway and Sweden as a confederation is of modern origin. Up to 1814 Norway was part of the kingdom of Denmark. By the treaty of Keil Norway was ceded to Sweden the conditions being that they should form one kingdom under one king. But the Norwegians rebelled against this arrangement. They chose a Danish prince as their king and drew up a constitution for themselves. This constitution was in principle republican. Sweden naturally did not approve of what the Norwegians had done, and a short war ensued in which the Norwegians were beaten. They were forced to agree to the union with Sweden, but the conqueror dealt with them very liberally. They were allowed to retain their republican constitution, under which in all domestic matters Norway is independent. The King, as far as the Government of Norway was concerned, had little more than the shadow of authority. Norway has, in fact, since the union been virtually a republic, the king of the two countries having far less power than a president. The difficulty between the members of this ill-assorted union has been with regard to the relations of the confederation with foreign nations. The extreme Norwegian party contended that Norway was a free and independent state, and possessed the power of appointing her own consular body and ambassadors, and also that she had under the Constitution the right to conclude treaties with foreign powers and of receiving ambassadors from them. They declared that Sweden had taken these powers from Norway simply because she was the stronger state of the two, but the time had come when Norwegians should assert their rights and insist on their being respected. The Swedish Government, it would appear, has been most forbearing. It has listened patiently to the murmurings and the threats of the discontented Norwegians, and has conceded to them all it could consistently with the maintenance of the union. The Swedish statesmen will not for a moment entertain the proposal that Norway should have a separate foreign minister and a separate consular service, but they are willing to give Norway an equal voice with Sweden in the regulation of foreign affairs. They see no insuperable impediment in the way of granting Norway an equal control over the appointments of the consular service. This, considering that the population of Norway is by no means equal to the population of Sweden, seems fair and reasonable. But the Norwegians do not appear to be in a compromising humor. They have taken their stand, and they propose to maintain it. The Norwegian Parliament, which is called the Storthing, will not tolerate any interference with its powers. Some forty years ago because the King refused to comply with its demand that the ministers should sit in the Storthing and be responsible to that body, its members impeached the ministers, had them dismissed, and fined them heavily.

Mr. M. S. Constable, British Consul at Stockholm, says in an article in the Fortnightly Review: "As to the intrinsic merits of the consular question it is difficult to see in what respect the Norwegians have any just cause for complaint. It is true that the Swedish Minister of Foreign Affairs has exclusive power to appoint consuls, but he and his predecessors have exercised that power with such discretion that at the present time the majority of the consuls representing the united kingdoms are Norwegians and not Swedes." This, considering that Sweden contributes four-sevenths and Norway contributes only three-sevenths towards the salaries and expense of the consuls, is, it might be said, a pretty fair division. The shipowners of Norway, who are the part of the community most interested in the matter, are, it is said, opposed to having a separate consular service for Norway.

Norway has of late years been neglecting both its navy and its army, and it is not in a position to cope with Sweden either on land or sea. This fact gives a peculiar significance to the military movements that are now going on in Sweden. The dispute hitherto has been between the politicians of the country. It has been hot enough and bitter enough, but it is not likely that the mass of the people will permit a not very important political disagreement to develop into a deadly civil war. It is, we think, safe to predict that the politicians will soon cool down and agree to a rational compromise.

A PERPLEXING QUESTION.

A very peculiar and a very perplexing question came before the General Assembly of the Presbyterians of the United States a week or two ago. The question was in effect whether converts in India who have more than one wife shall be allowed to practise polygamy and still remain members of the church? If the convert must put away all his wives but one, and send them adrift on the world, which of them will he be allowed to keep? All the wives are lawful wives according to the laws of the country, and all their children legitimate. Which would be the greater wrong, to turn the women who had been guilty of no crime known to the land in which they live, out of the house, or to allow them to live with their husband, and to form part of his household? The case of two wives was put—the child wife who was selected for the man by his parents, and the wife whom he chose because he preferred her to the other women of his acquaintance. Must he drive this woman he loves from his hearth and keep the woman whom perhaps he only tolerates.

Dr. Morrison, who represented the Synod of India, put the case very strongly. "He explained that the first wife in India was usually a child wife, and a childless wife, and that if the rule were applied a convert would have to put away a second wife who was the wife of his heart and the mother of his children, who was usually ready to come into the church with him and his children also, while the child wife was usually retained under the control of her parents. Under such a rule children would be cut off from the control and support of the father, and the mother driven to a life of shame. He pleaded that the way to protest against polygamy was to keep the mother and children together under the influence of the church."

We are not at all surprised that the Assembly found this question too complicated and too perplexing to be settled off-hand. A committee was appointed to consider the matter of polygamous marriages and to report at the next General Assembly. We will not be at all surprised if this committee find quite as much difficulty in dealing with the question as did the General Assembly.

A PECULIAR DOCUMENT.

The Grit leaders have been for years doing their best to lead the farmers of the Dominion to believe that they are unjustly treated under the National Policy. They have been told that it is they who have to bear the burdens of protection without being able to reap any of its benefits. One would suppose that if the Grits were sure of anything, they were thoroughly convinced of the hostility of the farmers to the National Policy. It might be thought, too, that their opposition to protection in all its forms is fixed and unalterable, and that they are determined to fight the political battle on that line to the bitter—or the sweet—end, no matter who might be their opponents. But anyone who believes that the Grits have any fixed principles with respect to protection or anything else, will find that he is greatly mistaken. Their principles on the trade question are very far indeed from being settled. They are now, as they were some years ago, ready to change them to suit circumstances. They then were ready to meet the views of the manufacturers. They assured the men who had invested their money in factories, and those who earned their living by working in them, that they were ready to shape their policy in such a way as would suit their interests. To-day it is the agriculturalists they desire to propitiate. They have issued a circular assuring the farmers that if it is found that they approve of the policy of the Government "the Liberals will withdraw their opposition, at least so far as protecting the farmers' interests go." Here is an extract from the very peculiar document in which this pledge is given. It is dated Ottawa, May 27:

The Liberal leaders who are now fighting the farmers' battles contend that high taxation has not improved their condition, and that the farmers' tariff is a revenue tariff. They may have been misinformed, and if the farmers wish to continue under a tariff ranging from thirty to seventy per cent. and upwards, let them speak out, and the Liberals will withdraw their opposition, as least so far as protecting the farmers' interests go.

I have said the Liberals, having championed the cause of the farmer, desire every possible information as to his condition, as to whether he is content or desires a reduction of taxation.

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This is how the Grits, after having tried to hammer the principles of free trade into the heads of the farmers for years, tell them that they are ready to deny their faith in Cobden and the other apostles of free trade if they find that their efforts have been unsuccessful. This is certainly the most singular document that was ever issued by a political party. What must the farmers think of the men who have so little faith in their own teachings?

AN IMPARTIAL OPINION.

Commenting on the measure regarding seal hunting in Behring Sea, which Sir E. Gray proposes to introduce into the Imperial Parliament, the Winnipeg Free Press remarks:

Indiscriminate seal killing threatens the destruction of a valuable industry the cream of which happens rightfully to belong to the United States. Therefore in the general interest indiscriminate sealing should not be allowed. Nor is it. But the industry does not belong exclusively to the United States, and the Pacific ocean is the common property of the world. If England is asked to stretch a point and forbid her subjects doing that which without special inhibition they have a right to do, in order that the seals may be preserved and the industry flourish, the Alaska sealing company, which is the principal beneficiary of the trade, should also be required to limit its take. It is not fair that pelagic sealers should be subject to a variety of constraints while the killers by land are entirely free. The Paris award was palpably unfair in this matter though its general conclusion was a right one, and in any future legislation by Great Britain care should be taken that the Imperial Parliament is not made a pilot fish to the Alaska shark.

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THERE are a score or more cases of measles at the British Columbia Protestant Orphans' home, all fortunately of a mild character.

VICTORIA'S expressmen contemplate giving a unique excursion to Florence lake on the 30th inst. They will on that day put their conveyances entirely at the service of their friends.

A JOINT conference of the city council, sewerage contractors and sewerage commissioners will be held shortly, at the suggestion of the commissioners, to amicably dispose of the claims raised by the contractors.

THE congregation of the Metropolitan Methodist church have just completed a neat little school room at the corner of Belmont street and South road, Spring Ridge. The building is well arranged and will seat 300 people. It will be opened this week.

THE Y.M.C.A. camp-fire at Oak Bay last evening was a pleasant affair indeed. A good number of the boys assembled and passed the evening with song and story, all being agreed that the evening was a success. The next assembly will be up the Arm.

THERE will be a general meeting of the Women's Council at the city hall Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. All women interested in the work are cordially invited. As there is important business the presidents of all affiliated societies are particularly requested to be president.

MESSRS BRADBURY & HURST of this city have been fortunate in securing the contract for the erection and completion of the Nanaimo court house. They will commence work immediately and expect to complete the extensive contract within four months. Nanaimo stone will be chiefly used.

ENSIGN PATTERSON of the Salvation Army Food and Shelter Depot, thanks the following friends for their practical expressions of sympathy during the past week: A Friend, Friend (per H. Heerns), H. Clay, L. Goodacre, S. Schoen, B. Harrison, R. Lettice, Puget Sound Flour Co., Mr. Bull and Mrs. Goffin.

THE ladies of St. Andrew's (R C) cathedral have prepared a sale of work for Wednesday next, and in the evening will present a choice musical and artistic programme, a feature of which will be a Daisy and Buttercup dance by sixteen little maidens in costume. Ice cream and strawberries will be provided both afternoon and evening.

MISS MAY COOK (Mrs. Sharp), of Victoria, has been invited to play before the National Music Teachers' Association of the United States, which meets at St. Louis next month. "This is a great honor," comments the Oregonian, "as only recognized artists of the highest standing are assigned places in the programme.

THE officers of the Garrison Artillery who took the recent course of instruction at the R.M.A. barracks, last evening entertained Lieutenant F. B. Gregory at a complimentary dinner. Their guest had kindly rendered his brother officers many valuable services which helped to make the course pass smoothly and pleasantly and they took this form of showing their appreciation.

J. T. KIERCE, of San Francisco, grand president of the Y. M. I., arrived by the steamer Kingston yesterday afternoon, and was met at the steamer by the reception committee of Seghers Council No. 85, Y. M. I. A drive about the city followed, and in the evening Mr. Kierce delivered an address to Seghers Council, and was entertained at the Poodle Dog. He leaves this morning for Nanaimo and Wellington to visit the branches there.

DR. G. F. ROAT'S pretty and very seasonable operatic cantata "The Haymakers" will be given on the evening of the 26th instant by a well trained chorus of forty voices and the following capable cast: Mary and Anna, farmers' daughters, Miss Wilson, Mrs. Gregson; farmer, Mr. John Cochrane; William, first assistant, Mr. G. F. Watson; John, second assistant, R. Wilson; Simpkins, a city dude, W. D. Kinnaird; conductor, J. G. Brown; accompanist, Mrs. L. Hall.

BEACON HILL park with its shady trees, comfortable seats and fine sea breezes proved an attractive place yesterday afternoon for a large crowd who went out principally to listen to the first band concert of the season provided by the city fathers. Under the direction of Bandmaster Finn the B C B G A. band rendered a fine programme which was thoroughly enjoyed. In the evening the band gave a second concert on the beach at Oak Bay, it too being listened to by many hundreds.

THE Lorne returned from the Cape last evening after towing the ship Two Brothers, coal laden from Union for California, to sea. This morning the Lorne tows the bark Wythop to Vancouver. Then she takes the coal hulk Robt. Kerr to Departure Bay, and from there takes out the bark McNear, coal laden for San Francisco. The Lorne reports clear weather outside and a large number of vessels in the Straits. She also reports the entire disappearance of the wreck of the tug Mogul.

THE City of Kingston brought over a party of Raymond excursionists from California last evening. The party is in charge of Mr. E Gordon Hutchings, and will remain until to-night. The ladies and gentlemen are quartered at the Driard, and the party is made up as follows: C. V. Wintringham and wife, Miss E R. Andrews, Miss A. F. Bradford, Mrs. S. E. Willer, Miss E G. Humphrey, Miss M. H. Barber, Mrs. A. Kempton, Mrs. A. Hart, Miss Gross, C. Gross, Mrs. D B Brison, Mrs. J. B. Hollister, Dr. D. L Finber, Miss M. L. Anderson, Miss E. R. Holmes and Geo. Eastwood.

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THE WORLD OF SPORT.

Victoria's Amities Win the First Game in the Provincial League—The Triangles Defeated.

F. S. Maclure Winner of the Silver Cup—Good Sport at Stanley Park.

A splendid gathering witnessed the first home game in the provincial baseball league series, played at Caledonia Park yesterday. The visitors came down from Nanaimo with any amount of confidence, and the Amities realized that ball would have to be played from start to finish. In practice the Nanaimo team did not show up well in the infield, and this weakness offset any disadvantage there might be in experimenting with Franklin behind the bat. Franklin had a heavy contract, for Lenfesty's speed together with a slight tendency to wildness would try the ability of any catcher. He caught a great game, however, and his throwing was a marvel of neatness and accuracy, while he assisted Lenfesty very much by his watchfulness in pinning the Nanaimo base runners to the bag.

The game could not by the wildest stretch of imagination be called an interesting one. It dragged wearily on account of a regrettable injury to Voegel, who, after being struck with the ball on the knee-cap, bravely attempted to resume his splendid work behind the bat, but was compelled to retire, and E. Wriglesworth kindly consented to play in centre, whilst Hayes was substituted to hold Clark's delivery. Another delay ensued over an intricate point arising through the umpire, Mr. Edwards, being struck with a batted ball. The rules were not altogether clear as to what decision should be given, but Mr. Edwards declared, after a reference to the league guide, that baserunners were not entitled to be advanced a base on a dead ball.

Clark, the Nanaimo twirler, had splendid control, and his work in the first innings was of the phenomenal order, for he succeeded in fanning Gus Gowen, Duck and George Gowen, to the utter dismay of the grand stand. Afterwards, though, the Amities became wary and refused to bite at his alluring out-drops, though he tempted them by shooting his deceptive curves on the outside edge of the plate.

The great plays of the day, and they were great in every sense of the word, were Widdowson's magnificent fielding of a very hard drive, Jackson's stop of a hot grounder and fielding the batter out at first, Lenfesty's pick-up of a swift drive, and Scott's handling of a ball batted near the foul line.

In Nanaimo's second the Amities got down to work, and the visitors were whitewashed. This was repeated for the three following innings. Victoria did not score until the third inning, when Lenfesty came in on Duck's triple. Another run was added in the fourth, and in the fifth five of the local players crossed the plate amid the wildest enthusiasm. Voegel was hurt in this inning, but the Amities got three runs on good hitting, aided by the errors of the Nanaimos.

In the first half of the sixth the visitors rallied, and rapped Lenfesty for a few good base hits, getting in four runs. This somewhat evened matters, but the Amities were equal to the emergency and batted in two runs in their half of the sixth. The home team by clean hitting and hard drives piled up four more in the eighth to the visitors' two, and the first home game in the British Columbia league was decided in Victoria's favor with an inning to spare by a score of thirteen to seven.

NANAIMO.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	S.B.	E.
Farrant, 2 b	5	2	1	6	0	1	1
Gouge, r. f.	4	1	0	0	0	1	0
Voegel, c.	5	0	0	6	0	0	0
McDonald, 1 b	4	0	1	6	0	0	0
Hayes, c. f. & c	5	0	0	2	0	0	0
Connolly, s.s.	4	1	0	1	0	0	5
Mulligan, l.f.	4	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cheatwood, 3 b	5	1	2	2	2	0	1
Clark, p.	4	1	3	1	12	0	1
Wriglesworth, c.f.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	42	7	7	24	14	2	8

VICTORIA AMITY.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	S.B	E.
Gowen, Gus c. f.	5	3	1	0	0	2	0
Duck, l. f	4	1	1	0	0	0	1
Gowen, George, r.f.	5	3	1	1	0	0	0
Jackson, F., s.s.	4	0	0	2	2	0	1
Partridge, 1b	5	2	1	11	0	2	1
Scott, 3b	5	1	2	1	2	0	2
Franklin, c	4	0	0	8	0	1	1
Widdowson, 2b	4	0	0	3	4	0	2
Lenfesty	3	3	1	0	11	0	0
Totals	39	13	7	*26	19	5	11

*Widdowson struck by batted ball.

Summary: Three base hits—Gowen (Gus), Duck, Clark; two base hits—Gowen (George), Scott, Cheatwood; passed balls—Franklin, 3; Voegel, 1; Hayes, 1; wild pitches—Lenfesty, 4; Clark, 3.

Struck out—By Lenfesty, 8; by Clark, 9

Hit by pitcher—By Clark, 2; by Lenfesty, 1.

Bases on balls—Lenfesty, 3; Clark, 3.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Tl
Victoria Amity	0	0	1	1	5	2	0	4	*	—13
Nanaimo	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	0	—7

B. C. BASEBALL LEAGUE.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.
Victoria	1	1	0
Vancouver	1	0	1
Nanaimo	2	1	1
New Westminster	0	0	0

THE FERNWOODS OVERWHELMED.

The Maple Leaf baseball team defeated the Fernwoods at Beacon Hill yesterday. The game was well contested up to the fifth innings when Gill let down in pitching and his support became very poor, and the Maple Leaves by good batting and base running piled up eight runs. The Fernwoods put up a listless game after that. The score is as follows:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Maple Leaves	5	1	2	2	2	8	5	3	*	—28
Fernwoods	2	0	1	1	3	5	0	0	2	—14

Mr. Bechtel's umpiring was satisfactory to both sides.

LACROSSE.

TRIANGLES LOSE TO VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, June 8.—(Special)—The championship game between the Triangle (Victoria) and Vancouver lacrosse teams at Brockton Point to-day was attended by one thousand people. It was a beautiful exhibition of lacrosse, but after the first three games the visitors realized that they had undertaken too much in crossing sticks with a team of active young athletes who had been faithfully practicing longer and had got themselves into perfect shape. The visitors were out of condition, had not been practicing together, and keenly felt the loss of one or two crack players, but they put up a plucky, swift, gentlemanly game, and played it to a finish. The visitors were not weak in defence nor home, nor did they lack combination in the first hour of the play, but the fact that they were not in condition was in evidence every game after the first three.

The Cullins and Patterson distinguished themselves for Victoria's team. Quigley and Peard played star lacrosse for Vancouver and so did Miller, Myers and Quann. Suckling made a satisfactory referee.

SUMMARY.

Game.	Won by.	Scored by.	Time.
1	Victoria	F. Cullin	5 min.
2	Vancouver	Quann	5 "
3	Vancouver	K Campbell	3 "
4	Vancouver	Hawman	7 "
5	Victoria	F. Cullin	10 "
6	Vancouver	Ralph	10 "
7	Vancouver	Campbell	14 "

CRICKET.

VICTORIA COLLEGE V. H.M.S. "NYMPHE."

The match played yesterday afternoon at Beacon Hill between H.M.S. Nymphe and Victoria College resulted in an easy victory for the College by 65 runs and four wickets. The Nymphe were sent first to bat, facing the bowling of Goward and G. Wilson, who bowled well through the entire match without change. The Navy were dismissed for 48, Griffiths alone reaching double figures. The College on going to bat succeed in hitting up 113 runs for six wickets, W. R. Wilson, A. Langley and J. McLeod batting well for 43, 23 and 18 respectively.

HYACINTH AND DOCKYARD V BATTALION C C

This match was played on Beacon Hill yesterday and resulted in a win for the Navy by 39 runs. The Hyacinth and Dockyard went first to the wickets and compiled 71, Staples, Baker and Horner making 16, 10 and 12 respectively. The bowling honors were shared between Schofield and McLean, the former taking six wickets for 36 and the latter three for 20. The Battalion team made a poor showing at the bat, only securing 32, Mills (12), and Hibben (10 not out), being chief scorers. The bowling of Staples and Baker was very destructive, Staples securing four wickets for 11 runs and Baker four for 17.

VANCOUVER DEFEATS WESTMINSTER.

VANCOUVER, June 8.—(Special)—The Vancouver senior cricket team won their match with Westminster by 176 to 139 at Brockton Point to-day. The Vancouver junior cricket team also defeated the Westminster juniors at Westminster.

ALBION II VS. VICTORIA II.

An enjoyable match between the above elevens was played at Beacon Hill yesterday and resulted in a win for the Albions by 26 runs. The Albions went to the bat first and succeeded in making 82, of which Schwengers, Anderson and Martin contributed 27, 16 and 10 respectively. Victoria followed with 54, Gamble and Hills with 19 and 12, playing well for their runs. Pooley and Gamble did the best bowling for Victoria, and Anderson and Schwengers trundled well for the Albions.

VICTORIA C. C. V. NAVY C. C.

The above teams played their first game at the Canteen grounds, Esquimalt, yesterday, the match resulting in a win for the Victoria club by 83 runs. Victoria went first to the wickets, and made 129 runs, Wallis playing his usual lively innings for 44, Smith 30, and B Goward 19. Mr. Walter bowled well for his side. The Navy then made 84, Wigram making 27 in first-class style, whilst Corporal Glover contributed a valuable 20. In the second innings Smith and Holt made a good stand for the Victoria club, and the total was 101. This left the Navy with 146 runs to win. Thanks to the good bowling of Goward the score only reached 63, and a most enjoyable game was brought to a finale. The umpires were Lieutenant-Governor Dewdney and Mr. A. F. Owen.

THE GUN.

MACLURE TAKES THE CUP.

The final club shoot for the silver cup took place yesterday afternoon at the Oak Bay traps, Mr. F. S. Maclure, as expected, winning on a score of 43 out of a possible 50, Mr. B H. John coming second with a total of 41. Mr. Maclure's total for the four matches is thus 170 out of a possible 200. Owing to illness Mr. C. W. Minor was unable to attend to shoot off the tie for Mr. Virtue's calendar watch.

THE TURF.

GOOD SPORT AT STANLEY PARK.

The races at Stanley park yesterday, owing possibly to the slimness of the attendance, were slow in starting, but were brought off strictly according to programme and were in the main well contested. Competing in the first event were W. T. Drake's Pet (owner up); R. Stanley's Riley (J. S. Byrn), and J. A. Aikman's Mac. The horses were splendidly matched, particularly Riley and Mac. In the first heat these two made the circle neck and neck, with Pet following close. In the second, Mac's rider defaulted and the race went to Riley. Time—55¼; 60.

The second race on the card was very exciting. It was a 1½ mile steeplechase for polo ponies 14½ hands high, and the starters were F W. Galpin's Demon (Geo. Ward in the saddle); Satan (L. H. Webber up); H. W. Gordon's Jerry (Morris); Mr. Ticer's Annie Mac; and Lieut. Faussett's Ginger. Demon won, with Ginger a close second, both ponies finishing strong. There were several tumbles and Satan proved himself worthy of his name. After a few hurdle jumps he bolted diagonally across the field and smashed through the fence. He was taken off the track but when the races were at an end he ran away again, knocking a boy over and coming to a halt only when inside the door of the refreshment building.

The third race, a 2¾ mile steplechase, brought out Dunn's Warrimoo, S. Murray's Irish Maid, and a horse of Snider's. Until Irish Maid's rider fell she was making a fine race, but after this accident Warrimoo got the advantage and kept it; coming in very lame, however, in consequence of a cut by the shoe in taking one of the first hurdles.

The fourth and sixth races were contested by but four Indian ponies and resulted in S. Paul winning.

A. Paine's Taffy, F. B. Pembertonis Rainbow, and A. E McPhillips' Cruiser, (owners up) ran in the 5th race, which was a 1¾ mile steeplechase for gentlemen hunters. Cruiser took the lead from the start and finished still in front, running well.

The judges for the day were Messrs. Shaw and Sayward; Mr. W. J. Taylor acted as starter, and Mr. Temple as timer.

TUG-OF-WAR.

A WIN FOR THE SCOTS.

The Scotch team won the tug-of-war at the Market hall last night after a very game struggle. The firemen were a sturdy looking lot of fellows, but the Scots seemed to be in better condition and worked better as a team. Mr. Robert McGregor captained the Scots and Chief Thomas Deasy, their opponents. Chief of Police Sheppard was judge for the Scots, Sergt. Major Mulcahy acting in a similar capacity for the firemen, and Gr. Lyons R M.A. was referee. Right at the start the Scots got the advantage, "yanking" the mark four inches on their side as soon as the referee released the lever. Then they lay down, taking things quietly, and though the other team made desperate efforts to recover the lost cord, the Scots responded promptly and when the twenty minutes time was up had the heat won by four inches.

After a rest of half an hour ends were changed and for six or seven minutes the mark hovered close to the centre, but slightly towards the Scots' end. Then suddenly the skirl of the bagpipes broke the silence with magical effect, for before the firemen could recover from the shock the Scots with a wild yell pulled them clean out of the cleats and won the heat in 8½ minutes and the match by the best two heats out of three.

The promenade concert of the string band of H.M.S. Royal Arthur made the evening pass away very pleasantly. The programme was a good one, and under the leadership of Mr. McKay the band played remarkably well.

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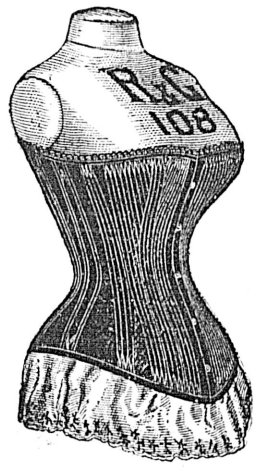

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VAGARIES OF STYLE.

MODERN SLEEVES AND COSTUMES FOR BICYCLING.

The Former Are Bewildering, and the Latter Are Surprising—But Women Must Dress, and Men Must Work to Provide the Wherewith.

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While skirts are now taking nearly if not quite as much material as they did in the old days of hoops, and sleeves require almost enough cloth to make a whole gown as ample as those of three years ago, times are bound to be hard. Women must dress, and men must work to provide them the wherewithal, and my positive conviction is that men are at the bottom of the new movement toward bifurcated garments for women as a measure of economy. I have long been aware of the fact that men regret the haste with which their remote ancestors abandoned the full flowing robes and togas of ancient days in favor of trousers. They don't want them now and would be glad of any valid excuse to go back to them again. Industry and art joined have never been able to make pantaloons interesting, and they always have been uncomfortable, so now let the blessed women try them awhile and give the poor men a chance to show how very dignified they can be in tea gowns. I think they will look better in flowing robes than women do in trousers. Just imagine two pictures—a woman striding around the house in pantaloons in a fit of wholesome anger, and a man standing still, while with one graceful sweep of his strong right arm he enwraps himself with dignified displeasure, which is made evident in every classic fold. Imagine him saying: "Madam, you have bought seven new pair of trousers this season. I draw the line at eight. Ha!"

Oh, sisters mine, stick to your petticoats! Just think how graceful they are and what a world of defects they hide. Remember how stately are long trains and sweeping draperies. Think how many hundreds of dollars you can put on skirts as trimming that you cannot add to trousers, no matter what kind. The prettiest woman I ever saw depended more upon the beauty of her eyes and lovely neck, though there was not a fault in her whole body. You wouldn't catch her giving up her trailing skirts, and dainty bonnets, and filmy laces for any pair of pantaloons ever made. Perhaps the reason is that this same lady is the possessor of an unusual amount of brains. She wears corsets, and she wears delicate and lace trimmed undergarments, and she wears low necked gowns and sparkling jewels, and she would sweep every pair of bloomers clean out of sight with her essentially feminine garb.

I do not say that the bicycle costumes are indelicate, though they do send a shock of surprise through any one that sees them for the first time. It is what they may lead to that worries me. We all know what styles prevailed once in France—how women wore nothing but tights, garters, slippers and big coal scuttle bonnets, with no petticoats and only a short sleeved, short waisted gown of transparent material, even in the street. Now, I know women. Facilis descencus Avernis. Before they realize what has happened to them we may see women going around our streets in this same fashion, intent on the proper and most graceful way of lifting their diaphanous robes and carrying them over the arm. There was a strict law of cus-

SPRING GOWNS.

tom governing the proper way of lifting the dress in those days. The girls who wear dresses at the opera so low as to provoke comment everywhere will not be afraid to appear in the streets in Recamier gowns. The bloomers may not pave the way, but every innovation of this kind tends to create that spirit of rivalry between women which carries them beyond their own wildest dreams of what might come of the first step.

Of course girls and matrons will be just as upright and just as true if they ever do come to what I have hinted, but I am afraid they will have hard work to convince other folks. Frenchwomen have for a long time taken the lead in bloomer suits, and on looking over files I find that ten years ago they began wearing bloomer suits for mountain traveling and hunting, and so, slowly, has grown up the present rage for divided garments. Not all our home eloquence has had the effect that a little foreign example has.

It ought to require more force of character than I am possessed of to give up two such handsome dresses as I saw today in favor of any kind of bloomers. One was a dark blue whipcord, braided with narrow black soutache in high points, and with one line all around the full skirt. There was a short basque, with very full skirt, open V shape. This was filled with maize crepon. On each side of the bottom of the waist were three fancy gilt buttons. Where the inset V was joined to the outside there was a band of black ostrich feather narrowed to a point. The caps to the sleeves were also braided. The combination of blue and corn color is novel, but pleasing. The other was a bronze green cloth of almost satiny surface. It was tailor stitched around the bottom and up the left side, where it was lapped and held by three crushed rosettes of seal brown velvet, with a fancy button in each center. The blouse waist was finished off with seal velvet belt, collar and rosettes, and an odd inset of lace over silk of the same shade as the dress. The big sleeves were fastened down each side with rosettes.

Waists for separate skirts are neater and prettier, I think, than before. The blouse, with its overhanging folds, is quite as popular as ever, but the natty spencer is growing in favor. A very pretty fancy in this style is a flecked and speckled taffeta with brown figures on an apple green ground. It is gathered at the neck and again at the belt, and has a flat band down the front, which fastens with gold buttons. The collar turns down, and there is a cardinal surah tie. The sleeves are large and stiff-

NEW WAISTS.

ened. A new idea in waists is one of mottled brown and black taffeta, made over a snug lining, with gathers at the belt. There are a crush belt and gathered straps down the front, and a stock collar with rosettes of brown pongee. The sleeves are large bishops, though they are narrowed considerably at the wrists. There are cuffs and one strap down the front of the waist, and on all these are set white pearl buttons. The principal novelty of this is the sleeve, which is really handsome. Many waists have sleeves of sharply contrasting material and color.

Among the novelties I notice parasols, without trimming or lining, made of plain and striped silk. The stripes are of brilliant colors and cut so that they form star points. The plain silk ones are pink, blue, green or even bright purple. They are much smaller than I have ever seen them. Carriage parasols are frequently covered with chiffon or silk muslin. The plain black sun umbrella is always in style.

HENRIETTE ROUSSEAU.

WOMAN'S WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS.

Tyranny of Clothes—Cost of Being In the Fashion.

Ladies frequently complain that they nearly faint during the terrible ordeal of standing up to be fitted by the dressmaker. They are turned around and around, made to stand off and come near, pinched in here, let out there, get pins stuck into them and scissors snips around their necks, till material objects spin before them and the world grows dim and recedes from their vision. One of the hardest ordeals woman undergoes is endured in her visits to the dressmaker. Even when the modiste is entirely skillful, rapid and good tempered, which happens about once or twice in a lifetime, the trial is still a terrible one. What it must be to fashionable women who have dresses made every few weeks makes one shudder. "I can't wear that waist again," said a customer to the pretty dressmaker. "They've seen me three times in it at the Apollo society, and it won't do to wear it again." The waist was perfectly good. It bore not the slightest trace of wear or soil; it was a handsome and expensive one. Moreover, it was in the fashion of the moment. But the young lady could not wear it again, because "they had seen her three times in it at the Apollo society." I have often watched the faces of fashionably and expensively gowned women. Almost without exception they show traces of a nervous strain and of aching heads, backs and feet that call forth pity. Look at the worn, wrinkled, tired, unhappy faces of the women who dress always in the latest style, and think of the awful worry and cost of it all. It is worse now than it has ever been since I can remember. A gown that was at the top of the mode a year ago is now so out of date that no woman who values her reputation as a fashionably dressed woman would dare to wear it, though it had appeared on the scene no more than twice, though it had cost half a year of working woman's wages when it was new. There is something fearful to contemplate in all this strain and extravagance. Oh, to live in gentle Japan, where the fashion is loose and comfortable, where it never changes, where it is always graceful, picturesque and poetic, where there are no buckram, haircloth, steel, whalebone, corset or monstrous big sleeves and tight shoes! Yet we, we American women, call ourselves civilized! We dress like fools, and look like fools, and bankrupt ourselves, and ruin our health in doing so. What under the heavens do we do it for?

Some of the shapes of the fashionable hats this spring look like the nightmare dreams of a man with delirium tremens.

The admirable story of the New York suffrage campaign may be obtained at the New York City Woman Suffrage league headquarters, 10 East Fourteenth street. Price, 25 cents a copy; five copies, $1. It is a magnificent equal rights document, giving history, statistics and arguments. It will be of use wherever women are battling for their rights.

Did you ever notice the peculiar air of pride and satisfaction manifested by a man who is walking along the street with a fashionably dressed woman?

When you do work that is usually performed by men, take not a cent less than man's pay for it. Do it so well that your employer would rather have a woman than a man work for him.

ELIZA ARCHARD CONNER.

BIMETTALLISM.

TO THE EDITOR:—Your notice in the COLONIST of Wednesday last on Mr. Atkinson's article in the Engineers' Magazine on the currency question demands a few comments from a bimetallist, especially as public opinion is now being educated upon this all important subject. It is satisfactory to note that Mr. Atkinson now condescends to accord a status to bimetallists as being worthy of being heard; because time was when they were jeered at as lunatics.

Fortunately the people are at last taking an interest in the matter and are informing themselves upon it, which is all that is required to expose the fallacies and crudities of gold monometallism. Mr. Atkinson takes up the position of Lord Farrer, Professor McLeod and other exponents of gold monometallism, and they jeer at the poor, simple-minded faddist bimetallists for supposing for a moment that law can possibly create a value in any commodity.

In the articles which they have written upon the subject this is the basis of their arguments upon which they build their spurious logic. Yet these same logicians, after this arrogant statement, go to a bank and exchange twenty shillings for a sovereign! If the twenty shillings and the sovereign are melted down into bullion and thus become commodities, the silver would exchange for approximately half of the gold, but the law says that as coin the one shall be equal to the other and behold! it is so. Here then we see evidence that law can give value to a commodity. But let us take further evidence of the effect of law when it says that there shall be a fixed rate of exchange between gold and silver. Fortunately we have tables compounded with the utmost care by Soetbeer and others showing the variations in the ratios of value between silver and gold for one hundred years, namely, between the years 1793 and 1893, and let it be remembered that for eighty out of these one hundred years bimetallism was in vogue, and the remaining twenty years, gold monometallism.

For the eighty years under bimetallism the variations of value between gold and silver at no time exceeded two points, while under gold monometallism for the last twenty years it has amounted to over sixteen points. It is well known that a variation in the measure of value—namely, money—is disastrous to trade. Let the reader then judge for himself between the two systems of currency.

But let us look into the question of the volume of silver as compared with the volume of gold during this period, and it is necessary to do this because the gold monometallists are trying to persuade the public that the volume of silver as compared to that of gold is now so great that it would be impossible to retain the old ratio of 15½ to 1. Now what are the facts?

Mulhall, in his table of statistics, shows that in 1800 there were 32 tons of silver to one of gold; in 1848, 31 tons of silver to one of gold; in 1880, 18 tons of silver to one of gold; and in 1890, 18 tons of silver to one of gold. What does this teach us? That notwithstanding the volume of silver compared with gold has *decreased* since 1873, the ratio between gold and silver has *increased* by over 16 points. And why? Because silver has been demonetized by law. It has become a commodity.

Before 1873 the rates between gold and silver were remarkably steady for eighty years, but no sooner is silver demonetized than the fluctuations in the measure of value, gold, are alarming in their extremes.

Another argument used by even distinguished gold monometallists is a very silly one. They say "if law can give value to a commodity why not let it fix the price of wheat and make wheat money?" This shows one of two things, either they do not understand what they are talking about or they wish to deceive the public. Why are gold and silver selected as money? Because they possess peculiar properties which are favorable for their use as money.

They are comparatively indestructible which wheat is not, and they are exceedingly hard to procure which wheat is not. The labor expended in prospecting for gold and silver and mining it when found is something prodigious, and consequently enhances their value.

The very moment that gold or silver is made money by law, the demand for either one or the other becomes practically unlimited. If wheat were to be made money the demand for it would also become unlimited, but it would not possess one of the principal properties of money, that of "a store of value," on account of its destructibility, and consequently its utility as money compared with gold and silver as money would be very small indeed.

The history of thousands of years has shown that gold and silver are the most suitable commodities for use as money, and what is known as bimetallism was in vogue in various forms during the whole of that time until 1873, when the new fangled scheme of gold monometallism was introduced by the interested gold despots for the benefit of creditors at the expense of debtors, and let it be remembered that every taxpayer is a debtor to the state.

I would recommend my readers to put the following simple questions to gold monometallists; the answers in the affirmative and negative are such as must be given:

1. Is the use of metallic money as a measure of value and medium of exchange of inestimable service to the public? Yes

2. Since it is of service to the public there must be a certain volume of metallic money which is necessary for a given population, must there not? Yes.

3. Was the volume of metallic money in excess prior to 1873? No.

4. Has the population of the civilized world increased since 1873? Yes, greatly.

5. Has not the demonetization of silver since 1873 reduced the volume of metallic money by nearly one-half? Yes.

6. Has the increase in the volume of money, gold, since 1873 been so excessive as to outstrip the needs of the population, or has it been unparalleled in former decades? Certainly not.

7. Then surely the volume of metallic money must now—through the demonetization of silver—be far below the needs of the population?

The gold monometallist commences to whistle.

BIMETALLIST.

NOTICE is hereby given that I shall apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the city of Victoria, for a transfer of the license now held by me to sell spirituous or fermented liquors by retail at 39 and 41 Johnson street, to E. J. Saunders.

HY SAUNDERS.

Victoria, B.C., May 8th, 1895. my8-30t

NOTICE is hereby given that at the next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the city of Victoria, I shall apply for a transfer of the license now held by me to sell spirituous or fermented liquors by retail at the Rock Bay Hotel, corner of Bridge and Work streets, to George Bassett and Alexander Simpson.

ALEXANDER CAMERON.

Victoria, B.C., May 10th, 1895. my10-30t

NOTICE is hereby given that I shall apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the city of Victoria, for a transfer of the license now held by me to sell spirituous or fermented liquors by retail at the premises known as the Jubilee Saloon, 49 Johnson street, to John H. Lindsay.

JOHN H. GAERDES

Victoria, B.C., May 9th, 1895. my9-30t

TENDERS.

VICTORIA WATER WORKS

TENDERS

—FOR—

Filter Beds, Cofferdam, Reservoirs, Etc., at Beaver Lake.

Sealed tenders endorsed "Filter Beds, etc.," will be received by the undersigned on behalf of the Corporation of the city of Victoria, up to 4 p.m. on Wednesday, the 12th June next, for the construction of Filter Beds, Cofferdam, Reservoir, etc., at Beaver Lake.

Plans and specifications may be obtained from the undersigned upon payment of five dollars ($5 00), which sum will be refunded on their return. Profiles of sites and sections of Lake basin may be seen in the Committee Room, City Hall.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque equal to 5 per cent. of the amount of such tender, which will be retained as part security for the due performance of the work. The cheque will be returned to unsuccessful tenderers but will be forfeited by any bidder who may decline to execute a contract when called upon to do so. No tender will be received from any person who is not a resident of the Province of British Columbia.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.

Water Commissioner's Office,
May 29th, 1895. my30-td

Provincial Gaol at Victoria.

TENDERS endorsed "Gaol Supplies," for the supply of Bread, Beef, Groceries, Clothing and Coal, for the use of said institution, from the 1st July next to the 30th of June, 1896, will be received by the undersigned up to Tuesday, the 25th instant.

Samples of groceries, clothing, etc., can be seen at the Gaol, Topaz avenue.

Tenders to state price of coal per ton of 2000 pounds.

All supplies to be delivered at the Gaol as required without extra charge.

Oatmeal, brooms, brushes and all articles required for use in this contract to be of Provincial manufacture, as far as practicable.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. S. HUSSEY,
Supt. Provincial Police and Warden of Gaols.

June 3rd, 1895. je4-td

Asylum for the Insane, New Westminster

TENDERS, endorsed "Lunatic Asylum," for the supply of clothing, bread, meat, milk, vegetables, groceries, coal and wood, etc., for the use of the said institution from the 1st day of July next to the 30th day of June, 1896, will be received by the Honourable the Provincial Secretary until noon on Monday, the 17th proximo.

Lists of the articles required can be seen at this office and at the Asylum, at which latter place samples can also be inspected.

All supplies to be delivered at the Asylum without extra charge.

Security for the due performance of the contract will be required in each case.

A. CAMPBELL REDDIE,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office.
Victoria, 13th May, 1895. my14-td

TENDERS.

Tenders will be received by the Cariboo Gold Fields, Limited, till Friday, 14th June, proximo, for hauling 311 tons of freight from Ashcroft to Williams Creek, Cariboo.

The freight consists of 647,000 pounds of steel hydraulic pipe, 38,000 pounds of Kimberly collars, 27,000 pounds of lead, and 10,000 pounds of bars.

The pipe is 12,000 feet in length, consisting of 800 sections each 15 feet long, and numbered consecutively from 1 to 800. The average weight of a section is about 750 pounds.

The sections numbered from 1 to 287, together with a proportional number and quantity of collars, lead and bars, are to be delivered near Mr. Rogers' slaughter house, on a bench of Williams Creek above the Canon, and the remainder placed, according to number, along the lower part of the pipe-line. Each load is to be taken from the sections and other things set apart therefor by the Ashcroft forwarder.

The whole of the freight is to be delivered by the 30th November next.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be sealed and addressed to A. D. Whittier, Manager Cariboo Gold Fields, Limited, Barkerville, B.C.

A. D. WHITTIER.

Barkerville, B.C., May 2nd, 1895. my16

TENDERS

Separate tenders for Sewer connection at Cowper Block, Fort street, rear of Driard Hotel, will be received after Wednesday till Monday, 10th inst., 4 p.m. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

EDWD. MALLANDAINE,
je4 54 Government street.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

TAX ON DOGS.

Owners of dogs are requested to take notice that the tax for the year 1895 on every dog within the City of Victoria is now due.

The provisions of the "Pound By-law" and the "Revenue By-law, 1893," will be enforced with respect to any such tax remaining unpaid from this date.

Mr. Robert Carter is authorized to collect the above tax.

CHAS. HENT, Collector.

City Collector's Office, City Hall,
Victoria, B.C., May 22nd, 1895. my23-tf

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TIME TABLE NO. 26

Takes effect March 1, 1895.

Vancouver Route:

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Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 13.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.

For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13.15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports, via Vancouver the 1st and 15th of each month at 8 o'clock When sufficient inducements offer, will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands

Barclay Sound Route:

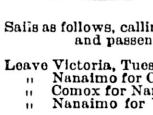
Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager

G. A. CARLETON, General Agent,
Victoria, Jan. 1st, 1895.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.



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Leave Victoria, Tuesday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Comox, Wednesday, 7 a.m.
" Comox for Nanaimo, Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m.

For freight or staterooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria station, Store street. ap25

Victoria & Sidney Railw'y

TIME TABLE.

GOING NORTH.

Station.	Train No		Mon Tues Wed Thur Fri	Saturdy	Sunday.
Victoria Lv	1	a m	7:00	7:00	9:00
	3	p m	4:00	2:00	2:00
Royal Oak.....	1	a m	7:14	7:14	9:14
	3	p m	4:14	2:14	2:14
Elk Lake	1	a m	7:23	7 23	9:23
	3	p m	4:23	2:23	2:23
Saanichton	1	a m	7:35	7:35	9:35
	3	p m	4:35	2:35	2:35
Sidney .....Ar	1	a m	7:48	7:48	9:48
	3	p m	4:48	2:48	2:48
GOING SOUTH.					
Sidney. Lv	2	a m	8:15	8:15	10:15
	4	p m	5:15	5:15	5:00
Saanichton	2	a m	8:28	8:28	10:28
	4	p m	5:28	5:28	5:13
Elk Lake	2	a m	8:40	8:40	10:40
	4	p m	5:40	5:40	5:25
Royal Oak.....	2	a m	8:54	8:54	10:54
	4	p m	5:54	5:54	5:39
Victoria .....Ar	2	a m	9:08	9:08	11:08
	4	p m	6:08	6:08	5:50

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T. W. PATERSON,
General Manager.

THE STEAMER

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FRIDAYS—Leaves Sidney at 5 p.m. for Moresby, Pender, Saturna and Mayne Islands and Ganges Harbor.

SATURDAYS—Leaves Ganges Harbor at 6 a.m. for Sidney and way ports.

For rates and fares and other information apply to M. Hare, Manager, on board the steamer, or to Victoria & Sidney Railway Company's Agents. my29

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By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

Victoria, March 20, 1895. mr21

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3.00 am	82	..... Seattle.....	28	10.15 am
4.45 am	110	Ar.*...Tacoma.....Lv	M1	8.00 am

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A LAWN PARTY.

How to Make a Perfect Picture and Give Pleasure to the Guests.

There can be nothing more picturesque than a lawn party if well gotten up. The light, flowerlike costumes that the ladies are sure to wear, the rich setting that nature provides if the day be fine, the music, laughter and fun, the decorated tents, arbors or piazzas, with their furnishings of dainty tables for the refreshments, all help to make a perfect picture whose charm never fails, and which affords a complete contrast to indoor entertainments. Every one who can do so ought to give at least one lawn party during the summer and so become a benefactor to the guests invited.

It is to be feared, however, that this will not be done. Lawn parties have become such elaborate and elegant entertainments that many think them impossible to people with small grounds and small means. This is a mistake, for elegance is not an essential to a successful garden party. Good company is, however, and that every one with a congenial circle of acquaintances can have. If one be careful to invite only those people who will enjoy each other, the lawn party will surely be a success, even if held in a city back yard.

The arrangement and decoration of the grounds for such a fete are easily done. Hammocks swung in shady spots and chairs placed in sociable groups about the lawn and among the shrubbery will invite to rest, although all hostesses may feel like the great lady who, when her guests had assembled, found fault if they didn't move about constantly and sent messages to every quiet group to "do something." She desired to have her garden party as picturesque as possible.

There may also be one or two divans. These consist of cots from the house or piazza, covered with shawls or any available drapery that dust will not injure, and piled with sofa cushions. Floor pillows, quickly made by stuffing square bags of dark denim with excelsior or straw, can be thrown down on the piazza or grounds for the guests' use.

All the potted plants available, including palms, ferns and leaf plants, will look well set on small tables on the lawn and on the ends of porch and piazza steps. Of course lanterns will be used extensively, for they will be needed as night comes on to light the grounds. For other bright decoration groups of the gay colored lanterns that children love may be fastened by very narrow ribbons to various bushes. The floating ends of ribbons are left free to be blown about in the breeze that will keep the light balloons in motion. Fans and Japanese parasols, to take the place of those that guests may bring, can be offered as souvenirs of the day and will add considerably to the coloring of the scene.

The entertainment of the guests at a lawn party will be an easy matter, for under such delightful circumstances people are not hard to please. "Conversation chairs" will interest for a short time after all have arrived. The chairs are placed in pairs, and on the back of one of each pair is fastened a paper with words indicating some topic of conversation. The company go in pairs to the seats, and each pair talks on the subject thus assigned. After a given time, say five or ten minutes, a bell is rung to announce the end of all conversations then in progress, and adjournment to other sets of chairs, where a new topic is taken up. That only very light or humorous subjects ought to be assigned goes without saying.

A very amusing game consists of fastening a balloon to a short stake driven in the ground. The string should be long enough to leave the balloon just above the heads of the people, where it will float, moved by every current of air. Each one is blindfolded in turn and placed face toward the stake, ten paces away, then advances to what he considers the right spot, and with a sort of enlarged butterfly net, made of wire and mosquito netting, tries to catch the balloon. A minute is allowed for each person to try. There is a prize for the one getting the balloon the most times into the net. The latter should be just large enough for the balloon to slip into easily.

Fortunes always interest people. A "fortune bush" is a good plan for telling fortunes out of doors. It is prepared by writing on slips of paper apt quotations or sentiments made up by a bright host and hostess. The papers are rolled and tied with gay ribbons to a bush. Each person goes up blindfolded and feels for a fortune, detaches it, and when unblindfolded reads it aloud.

All the time honored games that look picturesque out of doors will add success to a lawn party—tennis, archery, grace hoops and croquet being prominent favorites.

The refreshments should be served out of doors if possible. A piazza, arbor or tent will be the best place. Small tables are used, of course. Some one flower can be adopted as the scheme of decoration and color for each table. People who want to spend a good deal on such things can do so by having hothouse blossoms, but the simple wild flowers or garden favorites obtainable in all out of town places in summer will have just as lovely an effect and be really more in keeping with a lawn party. The silver table candelabra, to be hired from any caterer for table use, may have shades of crape paper to match the flowers used on each table. If possible, let the dishes also match or afford harmonious contrast.

The most successful hostess of a garden party, as of all social entertainments, is not the one who thinks the refreshments the most important part of the whole affair, but the one who adds to easy courtesy and ready tact the faculty of making every guest happy and at home. And that costs nothing.

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SOUTH BOUND—READ UP: No. 1 Pass. Daily	No 3 Pass Fri. Sat. Su	Pr. Wed.	STATIONS.	NORTH BOUND—READ DOWN: No. 2 Pass. Daily	No. 4 Pass Fri. Sat. Su	Pr. Vic.
Ar. 12 20 pm	Ar. 8 30 pm	78	Victoria	Dc. 8.00 am	Dc. 4 50 pm	1
" 12.10	" 8.25	77	Russell's	" 8.04	" 4.55	
" 12.06	" 8.18	74	Esquimalt	" 8.11	" 5.03	4
" 12.00	" 8.13	73	Colwood	" 8.17	" 5.06	5
" 11.53	" 8.12	72	Parson's Bridge	" 8.20	" 5.09	6
" 11.43	" 8.06	70	Langford	" 8.27	" 5.15	8
" 11.13	" 7.57	67	Goldstream	" 8.37	" 5.24	11
" 10.50	" 7.30	55	Summit Siding	" 9.05	" 5.52	20
" 10.40	" 7.10	50	Shawnigan Lake	" 9.30	" 6.14	28
" 10.15	" 7.02	47	Cobble Hill	" 9.40	" 6.22	31
" 10.25	" 6.53	43	McPherson's	" 9.55	" 6.31	35
" 10.10	" 6.42	40	Kokaiah	" 10.03	" 6.38	38
" 10.00	" 6.35	38	Duncan's	" 10.10	" 6.42	40
" 9.53	" 6.26	35	Somenos	" 10.20	" 6.49	43
" 9.38	" 6.15	31	Westbolme	" 10.27	" 6.58	47
" 9.20	" 5.57	26	Cowichan Station	" 10.42	" 7.08	52
" 9.10	" 5.45	19	Oyster Bay	" 11.00	" 7.33	62
" 8.40	" 5.15	10	Nanaimo	" 11.40	" 8.08	73
Dc. 8.20 am	Dc. 5.00 pm	5	Wellington	Ar. 12.00 n'n	Ar. 8.25	78

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Report for 24 hours ending, 9 p.m.

a. m.,	51°	Mean 58°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m.,	49°		
9 a. m.,	63°	Highest 68°	5 a. m—Calm.
1 p. m.,	66°		1 p. m.—8 S.
5 p. m.,	63	Lowest 47°	9 p. m.—4 S. W.
9 p. m.,	56°		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Fair.
Sunshine—11 hrs.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—J C Prong, V W Mitchell, R W Trotter, B H McEwan, J Howeth, W K Tuiloch, Miss Smith, Miss Frazer A C Louckin, Dr Mackechnie, A Westcott, Miss E Mayer, Mrs McNaughton, Mrs Clyde, D P Pickard, D G Walker, B H Walker, Miss S Squires, Mrs E W Andrews, Mrs M Burgess, M Davis and wife, F D McLellan.

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INVERARITY-ROSS—On the 8th instant at Albert Head, by the Rev. Sharpe, Mary, eldest daughter of D. Ross, Esq., of Inverness, Scotland, to Arnold James Mathew Inverarity, Esq.

THE inquest into the death of the little boy killed by the locomotive of the E. & N. passenger train Friday at McKenzie's gravel pit, resulted yesterday in a verdict of accidental death. The driver, John Hughes, stated that the train was going at 18 miles an hour when he caught sight of the child on the track some 300 feet ahead. He put on the brakes immediately and the fireman rang the bell. The child then walked off the track and stood beside the tool house, but almost immediately walked on to the track again within about 50 feet of the engine. The engine which was then going very slowly was reversed at once but the child was so close that it was impossible to avert the accident. The fireman, conductor, and other witnesses corroborated Hughes' evidence. Herbert Phipps, the father of the dead child, stated that his little son was only a year and ten months old. The family had just finished dinner, and the child was playing beside the house. A few minutes later Mr. Phipps heard the train coming, and went outside to look after the child, and saw him just in front of the train. He ran to rescue the little one, but was too late. The funeral will take place to-day at 2:15 p m., from Hayward's undertaking parlors, Government street, and at St. John's church at 2:30 p m.

ON Thursday evening last a very successful concert was given in the Strawberry Vale school by Principal Monk. There was a splendid programme of vocal and instrumental music, recitations, etc, provided by the children, and Mr. Monk distinguished himself as a musician of ability.

THE City of Topeka, from the Sound, on her way to Alaska, arrived in shortly before 1 o'clock this morning.

Arrived new wall papers, Mellor's. *

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VICTORIA'S ASSESSMENT.

The Municipal Court of Revision Completes Its Labors, Having Made but Few Reductions.

Total Valuation of City Property—Reductions Under the Equalization Clause.

The municipal court of revision, presided over by His Worship the Mayor, and comprising the members of the aldermanic board, concluded its labors yesterday, having been in session but five days. Thirty-two actual appeals were dealt with, as against forty-six last year, and the reductions will probably total less than $35,000. Of the reductions allowed, several were under the equalization clause of the act, no appeals having been taken, while hearing was refused a large number of entered appeals represented by Mr. D. R. Harris, that gentleman being unable to produce written authority from the owners to act in their behalf, and the court this year holding such credentials necessary.

As prepared by Assessor Northcott and now liable to a general reduction of about $35,000, the assessment roll shows the value of Victoria property for the current year to be as follows:

Taxable land	$ 13,176,250 00
Improvements	7,310,620 00
Exempted property	2,701,630 00
Total	$ 23,188,500 00

Assessed at ⅓ value.

The court will meet again at the call of the Mayor, probably within a fortnight, to formally adopt the revised roll, the reductions allowed being as hereunder enumerated:

Douglas Dick—Lot 5, block 74, Fort property, reduced from $9,500 to $9,000

J. Larbonne—Improvements on lot 151 reduced from $2,250 to $2,000

William C. Ward—Improvements on lots 1599 and 1601 reduced from $1,250 to $800 each, and on lot 1600 from $1,750 to $1,500.

Kenneth Mackean (by W. C. Ward)—Blocks 13-17 and 22 26 in section 32, and 2, 3, 8 and 9 in section 31, assessment of about $700 per acre reduced 20 per cent.

Donald Fraser Estate—$50 assessment on improvements on lot 8, block 74, Fort property, ordered to be transferred to J. F. E Englehardt.

Young & Doughty—Lots 1279 and 1289 reduced by $150 each from assessment of $1,150 and $1,350.

J. Keith Wilson—Lots 1201-3 ($950, $850 and $750) each reduced $100.

Miss Doane—Improvements on lot 246 ($500) reduced $100, and on lot 247 ($300) reduced $50.

Wilson & Pitts—Lots 5 7 and 9-12, and 36, blocks 24 7, Spring Ridge ($480 to $520), reduced $50 each, and lots 33-5 ($430 to $520) reduced $30 each.

George Tite, Mrs. Vermouth and William Reddick—Lots 8-13 and 14, blocks 24 7, Spring Ridge ($520), reduced $50 each, under the equalization clause of the act, no appeal having been entered.

Trustees Christ Church—Block 5, C. C. T. ($10,500), reduced $500; lots 19 22 ($850 each) reduced $50 each.

D. R. Harris—Lots 1187 9 ($760 each) reduced $60 each; lots 1186 and 1190 2 ($760 each) reduced $60 each; lot 912 ($2,200) reduced $200.

Douglas Estate—All property south of Fairfield road and east of Cook street, and all between Richardson street and Moss street, reduced 10 per cent.

Mrs. Medana—Blocks 18 and 20 ($1,400 acres) reduced $100 and $150 per acre respectively; block 21 ($1,300 acres) reduced $150 per acre; and blocks 24, 25, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 ($1300 acre) reduced $100 per acre.

William Denny—Lots on Waddington alley ($3,000) reduced to $2,500 if assessor's statement of the size of lots is correct and to $2,000 if Mr. Denny's statement in the same connection is sustained.

Tolmie Estate—Part section 7 a, 6 52-100 acres, ($950 acre) reduced $200 per acre; lots 15, 16, and 17, ($450 each), reduced $50 each; lots in block 32, Hillside farm, reduced as follows, namely: $470 lots to $400; $380 lots to $320

J. W. Williams Estate—Lot 182 B ($8,500) reduced to $7,500.

Beaumont Boggs—Reduced on scale set by reductions on Kenneth MacKean's property.

PERSONAL.

Dr. McKechnie arrived home from the East by the Rosalie yesterday.

B. S. Kennedy, of the Westminster Columbia, returned yesterday from a trip to California.

J. L Schultz, C. T. Dennon, Milwaukee; and George J. Atkins and C A Gunrsey, Chicago; are among the guests at the Driard.

J. S. Lykin and wife, Salem; W. Hartman, San Francisco; D. N. Robertson and S. F. Walker, Clarkburry; A. F. Province and A. Haines, Tacoma; are guests at the Dallas.

J. R. Beafs, wife and family, arrived from San Francisco on the steamer Mexico yesterday morning to spend a few days in Victoria. They are on a pleasure trip which will be extended to Europe.

There was a row recently in the German imperial nursery, Friedrich Wilhelm insisting on flogging his brothers because he was Crown Prince. In the middle of it Kaiser Wilhelm appeared, and, picking up his successor, remarked: "Now that you have shown your brothers who is Crown Prince, I will show you who is Emperor." He used a birch rod.

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A VERY CLOSE CALL.

Police Constable Gilchrist Has a Thrilling but Far From Pleasant Morning Adventure,

In Which Jimmy, a West Coast Indian, Brings Him Decidedly Near Death.

Police Constable Gilchrist, though an old soldier who has heard the bullets whistling on more than one battlefield, was never brought nearer to his death than he was during the early hours of yesterday morning. The scene of his exciting adventure was between Herald and Fisgard streets, where he had arrested a West Coast Indian named Jimmy for having a bottle of gin in his possession. This was about 3 o'clock.

Jimmy is a muscular savage and had had just enough liquor to inflame his blood. He belongs, too, to the same tribe as the two men now dead who received bullets from the revolvers of Jailer Allen and Sergeant Levin, and when Constable Gilchrist approached him he determined to avenge himself on one member of the force at least, for his tribe's misadventures. No sooner had the officer made him prisoner than Jimmy showed fight, and being a very powerful man secured possession of the constable's revolver, bringing the muzzle hard against Mr. Gilchrist's temple, and at the same time shouting,

"You, you kill two my men; now I shoot you."

Gilchrist had retained his grip on the weapon although he was unable to wrest it from the Indian, and as they struggled, he succeeded in getting his thumb under the hammer. Fortunate it was for him that he did, for while the muzzle was fair on his (Gilchrist's) temple, Jimmy pulled the trigger and the hammer descended, not on the cap of the cartridge, but on the policeman's thumb, splitting and blackening the nail, but saving him from certain death.

Soon after, Special Officer Anderson, who was just going off watch, chanced to pass and immediately lent assistance, Gilchrist with his aid taking his assailant to the station, where two charges were booked against him—of having an intoxicant in his possession and of assaulting an officer in the execution of his duty. In the first case Magistrate Macrae later in the morning imposed a fine of $25 and costs; on the second count Jimmy stands committed for trial in the higher court.

THE WHEEL.

THE TWO CLASS RULE.

Amateurs of two grades having at last been recognized, after a long fight for the "pure amateur," by the C.W.A., and the programme for the opening on the 29th inst. of the new track at Oak Bay including events for both A and B men, simple definitions of the A and the B will no doubt be acceptable to many readers. In brief the B man is the revived "promateur" of seven years ago—the hybrid professional-amateur racing man who differs from the professional in that he does not compete with other professionals or for money prizes. He is permitted, however, to receive salary and expenses from the cycle manufactory employing him to boom its wares, and to ride for prizes exceeding $50 in value—here is where the class is slowly but surely drifting towards professionalism although the C.W.A. still limits the value of the prize to $150. His amaturism is retained by his ineligibility to ride for wager, money prize or gate money, compete with or make pace for a professional, or sell, pawn or in any other manner realize upon any prize. The class A man on the other hand is debarred from receiving expenses or salary from manufacturer or club, from competing with class B men or professionals, from winning any prize of greater value than $50, or from riding outside of Canada except by special permission of some member of the racing board. Only in strictly local club meetings may the two classes compete the one against the other without prejudice to the class A's standing, although licenses may be granted by unanimous vote of the general racing board for a special competition in any year between the recognized champions of the two classes, the prize rules of class A to govern. Any amateur who neglects or refuses to answer within thirty days any challenge touching his status in class A, to the thorough satisfaction of the racing board, is required by the recently revised rules of the C.W.A. to be transferred to class B; nor has he any further opportunity for hearing or appeal.

ON THE ROAD.

The large number of counter attractions made yesterday's run of the Victoria Wheelmen somewhat limited in attendance, there being fewer than twenty wheels in line. The new track was found to be fast nearing perfection as the red cinders go on, and likely to become what it is hoped it will be—the fastest on the coast. This morning the boys are requested to meet at 7 o'clock at the New England for a run to Cordova bay.

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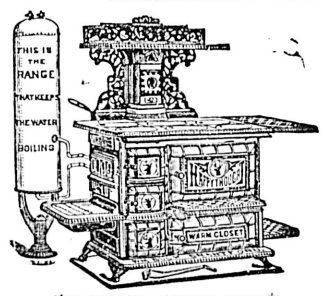

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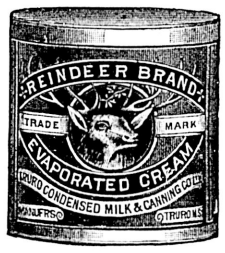

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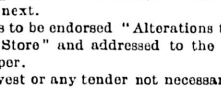

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